Welfare Schemes for Tribals in Tripura

5786. SHRIMATI DIL KUMARI BHANDARI: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose to take effective measures to safeguard the democratic and economic interests and ensure social justice to the tribal minorities of Trapper; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF WELFARE (SHRI SITARAM KESRI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Tribal Sub-Plan Strategy will be continued during the Eighth Plan. The objectives of strategy are two-fold (i) socio-economic development of Scheduled Tribes and (ii) protection of tribals against exploitation. The flow of funds for TSP is primarily from four sources i.e. (i) State Plan (ii) Special Central assistance (iii) Central Plan and Centrally Sponsored Schemes and (iv) Institutional Finance. Schemes implemented under TSP are mainly family oriented income generating schemes in sectors like agriculture, horticulture, minor irrigation, animal husbandry, co-operation, tribal crafts and skills. Programmes of rural electrification, non-conventional sources of energy, development of village and small industries and construction of roads are also being undertaken. Other programs under TSP cover social services sectors like education, health and nutrition, sports and youth services and housing etc. Some parts of Special Central Assistance is also used for the development of inftrastructure. The Ministry of Welfare under Centrally Sponsored Schemes is implementing various schemes through the State Governments like pre-matric and post-matric scholarships, girls hostels, boys hostles, Ashram Schools, book bank, coaching and allied schemes etc. The statement giving the details of money released by Ministry of welfare under Central Sector/ Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the Seventh Plan, 1990-91 and 1991-92 to Tripura is laid on the Table of the House.

STATEMENT

Statement referred to in reply to part (b) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 5786 due dor answer on 2.4.1992

The details of money released by Ministry of Welfare under Central Sector/Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the Seventh Plan, 1990-91 & 1991-92 for Tripura are as under:

(Rs. in lakhs

		Money released in Seventh Five Year Plan	*Money released during the year 1990-91*	*Money released during the year 1991-92*
1.	*2.*	*3*	*4*	*5*
I.	*CENTRAL SECTOR*			
1.	Special Central Assistance (SCA)	1429.52	341.37	371.94
2.	Grant-in-aid under Art. 275 (i)	111.05	21.77	7.23
II.	*CENTRALLY SPONSORED SCHEMES: (CSS)*			
*1.	Ashram Schools	Nil	7.00	8.00
@ 2.	Boys Hostels	6.00	6.00	15.00
3.	Girls Hostels	9.47	3.127	4.96
**4.	Coaching & Allied	247.00 (SC/ST)	74.00 (SC/ST)	137.00 (SC/ST)

1.	2.	3	4	5
		Money released in Seventh Five Year Plan	*Money released during the year 1990-91*	*Money released during the year 1991-92*
5.	Book Bank	225.00	0.41	56.23
6.	Post Matric Scholarship	14.185	0.82	4.475
@@7.	Pre-Matric Scholarship	0.8266	Nil	9.416

\# New Scheme started from 1990-91.

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This is a combined scheme for SC and ST students.

@@ This scheme is for children of those engaged in Unclean occupations.